

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) Group Art Unit: 2826
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SUGAWARA) Examiner: SEFER, AHMED N.
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Serial No.: 10/530,883) Confirmation No.: 9237
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Filed: April 11, 2005) REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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Atty. File No.: 3688KE-1) Filed Electronically on February 2, 2007
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For: "SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND
METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME, AND
POWER CONVERSION APPARATUS
INCORPORATING THIS SEMICONDUCTOR
DEVICE"

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

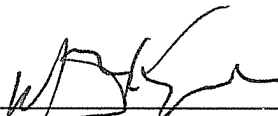
Applicant, through his attorneys, respectfully petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of three (3) months to respond to the Office Action mailed on August 25, 2006, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from November 25, 2006, to February 25, 2007.

Payment in the amount of \$1,020.00 for the extension fee is being made concurrently herewith via EFS-Web. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Respectfully submitted,

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February 2, 2007